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Chatham County...

EASTBOUND SINGLE LANE CLOSURE SCHEDULE TODAY ON STATE ROUTE 204

WHAT:

A contractor for the Georgia DOT will be installing a temporary single lane closure on S.R. 204 eastbound, starting near Grove Point Road continuing to King George Boulevard. This single lane closure has been scheduled to begin 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday, June 9, weather permitting.

This temporary lane closure is necessary to replace the missing lane dividers (delineators) for the merge lane from King George Boulevard onto eastbound S.R. 204 located within this construction area. Motorist should expect delays at this work zone.

This is a WORK ZONE and extreme caution is necessary. Motorists are advised to reduce speeds as they travel through this and all work zones. Message signs, barrels and/or cones will be utilized to alert the public of the upcoming changes. Drivers should be aware that personnel and equipment will be operating in close proximity to travel lanes.

WHEN: 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday, June 9, weather permitting.

WHERE: S.R. 204 eastbound starting near Grove Point Road and continuing to King George

Boulevard in Chatham County.

Each day, hundreds of Georgia Department of Transportation employees and contractors work on dozens of highway, bridge and intersection improvements throughout the state. Their work often brings them and heavy machinery in close proximity to travel lanes. Fifty-seven Georgia DOT personnel and many more motorists, passengers and contractors' workers have been killed in highway work zone accidents since 1973. Please help us prevent these tragedies by slowing down; being especially attentive and cautious as you pass through construction work zones; and always driving responsibly. Safer Driving; Safer Work Zones; For Everyone. For more information on Georgia DOT, please visit www.dot.ga.gov or subscribe to our Press Release RSS feed. You also may follow us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT) and Twitter (http://twitter.com/gadeptoftrans).

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